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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page.

(57) ABSTRACT, second and third paragraphs, please delete “[These leaflets can alternately collapse to prevent blood flow through the valve and extend to permit flow.

The prosthetic valves include valve fixation devices which secure the prosthetic valve to the wall of the vessel. In one embodiment, the prosthetic valves have at least one substantially rigid strut, at least two expandable fixation rings located about the circumference of the base of the apex of the valve, and one or more commissures and leaflets. The prosthetic valves are introduced into the vascular system in a compressed state, advanced to the site of implantation, expanded and secured to the vessel wall.]”.

Column 18, Claim 2, Line 51.

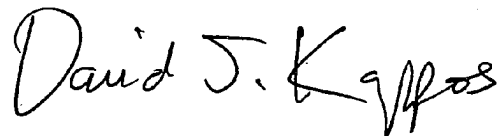
Please delete “vessel” and insert in place thereof --vessel;--.

Column 18, Claim 2, Line 54.

Please delete “oath” and insert in place thereof --path--.

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